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of them to  
Sell between  
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Time!

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**Woolens,**  
Of every kind,  
**Dress Goods,**  
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For Men, Women and Children,  
**Ready-made Garments**  
FOR LADIES.

A limited number of—

Coat Suits, Jackets,  
Capes, Skirts,  
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Stylish, Manish, Up-to-Date.

And in—

Carpets, Rugs,  
Art Squares, Mattinges,  
Window Shades, Draperies,  
And House Furnishings in general.

Also, some especially good things in MILLINERY.

We are also showing a lot of pretty new Novelties in various lines for the—

## Holiday Trade,

Some of the most useful as well as the most ornamental articles.

A pretty line of Ladies' Neckwear, Fancy Collars, Ties, &c.  
Hand Umbrellas for Gentlemen and Ladies.  
Handkerchiefs, and various articles too numerous to mention.

Yours truly,

**Brown, Osborne & Co.,**

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

**General Merchandise**

ANDERSON, S. C.

## Local News.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 20, 1899.

### THE COTTON MARKET.

Corrected Weekly by Brown, Osborne & Co.

Strict Good Middling—7 3-16.  
Good Middling—7 3-16.  
Middling—7 1-16.  
Stained Cotton—6 to 7.

The dealers in Christmas goods are having a fine trade.

Attention is directed to the new advertisement of McCully Bros.

An important notice to Magistrates is published in another column.

Cotton seed are in demand in Anderson and are bringing a good price.

The public schools of the city will be closed from the 22nd to the 26th inst.

The new advertisement of Vandiver Bros. should not escape your attention.

Moore, Acker & Co. have a new advertisement this week that will interest you.

Several interesting communications reached us too late for publication this week.

A number of Andersonians will spend the Christmas holidays away from home.

You have only a few more days in which to pay your State and County taxes.

Remember, all places of business in Anderson will be closed next Monday and Tuesday.

Several of Anderson's attorneys are in Columbia this week attending the Supreme Court.

Mrs. B. F. Gantt has been appointed to succeed her deceased husband as postmaster at Pendleton.

The lumber dealers in Anderson can hardly meet the demand made upon them for building material.

Mrs. J. M. Paget, of Saluda, is in Anderson and will spend the Christmas holidays here with her parents.

Evans & Day, at Pendleton, are ready to supply you with Christmas goods. Read their new advertisement.

The weather was clear, and everybody in this section had a fine view of the eclipse of the moon last Saturday night.

The annual meeting of the Board of County Commissioners will be held the first Tuesday in January. See advertisement.

The Belton Dramatic Club will render a "Moonshiner's Daughter" in Belton next Monday night. We bespeak for them a large audience.

Mr. R. M. Baker, Quartermaster on the U. S. transport "Kilpatrick," having secured a furlough for thirty days, is in the city visiting his family.

Dr. and Mrs. S. M. Orr have returned from Baltimore, where the former went to undergo an operation, which was performed with great success.

Prof. J. C. Milford will conduct a singing at Flat Rock Church on the fifth Sunday, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., to which all are invited to attend.

Married, on Sunday, December 17, 1899, by S. H. Stone, Magistrate, and at his residence, Mr. James Smith, of Anderson County, and Miss Susie Fleming, of Elbert County, Ga.

The passenger rate on the Charleston & Western Carolina Railroad has been reduced to 32 cents for first-class and 24 second-class. Under the law this becomes effective in thirty days.

The man who reads this paper and has not paid for it, will not get that thorough joy out of the Christmas holidays that comes from having done by your fellow man as you would be done by.

The revenue officers have been instructed to report to trial all merchants who fail to cancel the stamps on empty cigar boxes. The fine is fifty dollars. This is frequently forgotten by a dealer.

Col. J. L. Orr has been suggested by some of his Greenville friends as a candidate for Congress from that District. His many friends in Anderson would be delighted to see him a member of Congress.

The P. M. I. Cadets gave a creditable drill and contest in the manual of arms on the Court House Square last Friday afternoon. The medal for the best drilled cadet was awarded to L. P. Fouché, of Columbia.

The Knights of Pythias will hold its regular meeting to-morrow evening at 7:30 o'clock, and all the members are urged to attend, as it will be an important meeting. Among other business will be the election of officers to serve the ensuing year.

Invitations have been issued to the marriage of our young townsman, Mr. Swain K. Gilmer, and Miss Virginia Lee Kramer, of Charleston. The happy event will take place on Wednesday evening, 27th inst., at the home of the bride in Charleston.

The first Quarterly Conference of the Starr and Iva Circuit for the ensuing year will be held at Starr on Saturday and Sunday, 30th and 31st inst. The Presiding Elder, Rev. J. B. Wilson, will be present and administer the holy communion on Sunday.

Last Monday night at a late hour J. W. Pratt, a white scoundrel of this city, gave his wife a severe whipping at their home. The poor woman's screams attracted the attention of some of the neighbors, who went to her relief and Pratt made his escape.

At a regular communication of Ruff Lodge, No. 240, A. F. M., held Tuesday evening, 9th inst., the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: R. E. Ligon, Worshipful Master; D. R. Morrow, Senior Warden; J. W. Roberts, Junior Warden; P. M. Eskine, Treas.; R. Beatty, Sec.

Barnett Lodge, No. 106, A. F. M., has elected the following officers to serve for the next ensuing Masonic year: L. M. Mahaffey, W. M.; Dr. C. L. Guyton, S. W.; M. B. Williams, J. W.; B. F. Mullikin, Treas.; A. M. Guyton, Sec.; S. P. Johnson, S. D.; J. D. Rogers, J. D.; J. Jameson and E. M. Duckworth, Stewards; J. B. Smith, Tyler.

Last Friday afternoon Wilbur, the little son of Mr. Wm. Martin, was run over by a reckless negro driver of a wagon on South Main street, and painfully hurt. The team struck the little fellow, knocking him down and one of the wheels passed over his head, rendering him unconscious. Dr. Harris was called to the little sufferer, who soon recovered consciousness, and is now rapidly recovering. It is remarkable that he was not killed. The driver was arrested and will suffer the full penalties of the law.

That interesting temperance drama, "Little Brown Jug," will be rendered at Lebanon school house on Christmas night. Admission, 25 cents. The proceeds will be used in purchasing furniture for the school house, and the entertainment should be liberally patronized.

The boys will have to be careful with their fireworks during the holidays. They will be forced to keep away from the depots, warehouses and cotton platforms, and outside of their own yards, will probably be permitted by the police to explode the crackers on the Court House Square and cotton streets on Monday and Tuesday of next week.

James Meldrow, a colored individual, hailing from the vicinity of Anderson, was arrested here yesterday by the police on charges preferred by some citizens of Anderson. They charged him with disposing of property under mortgage. He has been sentenced to jail for time and yesterday he was nabbed by the police. He went to Anderson this morning in charge of Constable Craig. Greenville Times.

The Charleston News and Courier, of the 19th inst., speaks of Anderson's Mayor as follows: "Mr. John K. Hood, mayor of the thriving city of Anderson, is among the visitors in the city. Mr. Hood is one of the distinguished leaders from the straitened Presbyterian Church, having been born at One West. Even though he is not lived in the sacred precincts of that holy city for years, he finds it difficult to give up the habits of the city, and is now in his boots with tallos and singing David's Psalms."

Solicitor Ansel, of this, the Eighth Circuit embracing Greenville, Abbeville, Anderson, Oconee and Pickens Counties, forwarded his annual report to the Attorney General last week. The report shows that there were less than half as many murder cases in the Circuit this year as last. Of the twenty cases this year two were disposed of in Abbeville, eight in Anderson, two in Oconee, three in Pickens and five in Greenville. Fourteen of the cases resulted in verdicts of "not guilty," four "guilty," and in two cases "no bills" were returned. There were 42 cases of murder disposed of in the Circuit last year. There were 282 cases, all told, disposed of in the Circuit this year, as against 334 last year. The 282 resulted 208 "not guilty," 9 "not guilty," 134 "guilty." The 234 resulted 99 "no bills," 57 "not guilty," and 178 "guilty."

Anderson County loses another old and highly esteemed citizen in the death of Mr. Andrew Hunter, which occurred at his home near Townville on Tuesday evening, 12th inst., in the 84th year of his age. A few days preceding his death he accidentally fell from a chair, in which he attempted to sit down, and hurt one of his legs. This brought on a nervous shock and he gradually weakened away until death came to his relief. The deceased was born and reared near Pickens, C. H., and about thirty years ago moved to the place where he died. He married Miss Mary Simpson, of this County, who preceded him to the grave a few years ago. One son and three daughters survive him. In his young manhood Mr. Hunter joined the Presbyterian Church, and throughout his life was a devoted and exemplary member. In every relation of life he discharged his duties nobly, and has left a name that his descendants can ever point with pride to. On the day following his death his remains were laid to rest in the Presbyterian churchyard at Townville, Rev. W. S. Hamiter conducting the funeral services in the presence of a large concourse of sorrowing friends.

Recent published accounts of cider seizures in the County are calculated to do much injury to the parties charged with violating the dispensary laws by offering for sale cider alleged to contain alcohol. A case in point is the repeated references to Mr. Albert S. Bowie and his clerk, Mr. Joseph Ligon, of Iva. It is unnecessary to say to those who are acquainted with these excellent gentlemen that there is something radically wrong in the charge preferred against them, for they are regarded by their more immediate neighbors as gentlemen of sterling qualities who are too conscientious to violate a law knowingly, and too careful to be led into it blindly. In conversation with a prominent gentleman of the Iva section, he stated that the neighbors of Messrs. Bowie and Ligon felt outraged at the scandalous publicity given to the case, and declared that if it were left to a jury of the ministers and Church-going people of that vicinity, the parties indicted in the case would receive a merited rebuke. Mr. Bowie is a prosperous farmer and merchant of Iva, and Mr. Ligon, his clerk, is a son of Rev. R. C. Ligon, of this County, and himself studying to become a Presbyterian minister.

Mr. Will R. Hubbard passed away at his residence in this city at 7:30 o'clock last Saturday morning, after a brave fight of several months with the terrible malady, Bright's disease. He had, however, been confined to his room only a week, and was not considered seriously ill until the evening before his death. While it has been generally believed that he was some time gradually failing in health, the news of his death came as a shock and a surprise to his friends, the most intimate of whom were unacquainted with the extent of his illness.

Mr. Bowie is a universally respected man, and his death is a great loss to the circle of friends, whose splendid patronage was bestowed upon him, evidencing the degree of confidence in which he was held by those who knew him best. Again, when he, after repeated solicitations, allowed his name to be used as a candidate for alderman, his friends rallied to his support and gave him one of the largest votes ever cast in this city, leading his ticket by a handsome number of votes. During his term of office as Mayor pro tem, he won many golden opinions for his judicial ability and firm, resolute determination to uphold the majesty of the law. His voluntary retirement from city politics was universally regretted, as every one recognized his honest purpose and force of splendid character, so that there was no office within the people's gift which he could not have had for the asking. As a churchman, he was a zealous and liberal member, was, up to the time of his first collapse in health, an active worker in the Sunday School of St. John Methodist Church, of which church he was a member. About twelve years ago he married Miss Dessie Keese, who with two little sons survive him. He was an affectionate husband, a fond and indulgent father, and a true and loyal friend. The funeral exercises were conducted at a handsome funeral home, and were attended by a large and impressive company. His family have our sincerest sympathy.

To Cure La Grippe in Two Days.  
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature on every box. 25c.

### Briefs From Saddle Creek.

Christmas time is coming. Hide out, turkey.

Mr. Johnnie Stevenson, of Lincoln County, Ga., visited his cousins, S. A. Jones and G. L. Stevenson, last week. Miss Lillie Brooks, of Richland Creek, visited Miss Cairn Campbell Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mamie Arnold was the guest of Miss Pearl Barrett last second Sunday. There will be a shooting match at Carter's Store, better known as Saddle Creek postoffice, Wednesday in Nims. There will be turkeys, geese, chickens, &c., furnished by Mr. J. H. Jones. Everybody is invited.

Rev. Fletcher Anderson will preach at Providence the fifth Sunday in December at 11 o'clock, a. m.

The health of this section was never better, with the exception of a few cases of la grippe.

Mr. C. S. Skelton is very sick at this writing. We hope he may soon recover.

News is very scarce in this part of the country.

### Also Items.

News is scarce in this section. Messrs. Drake Bros. have moved their saw mill into this community.

Mr. J. N. Hall and family have moved to your city.

Mr. Jim Long, one of our farmers, is putting in his stable in preparation for another year. He evidently believes that the "early bird catches the worm."

Mr. Bas Taylor is getting out cross ties for the Savannah Valley Railroad, near Lowndesville.

Mr. Will Graydon, of the Abbeville bar, attended Magistrate Jones' Court a few days ago, representing J. M. McAdams, plaintiff, against Dan Adams, defendant. When the defendant found that the plaintiff had a lawyer, he wanted the case postponed. The Magistrate refused, and the case went to trial. The defendant refused to come into Court, and the case was won by the plaintiff.

Mr. Charlie Barksdale visited Hartwell, Ga., recently.

J. B. McAdams has a fine 3-horse farm to rent. Sam McAdams has been to the Fork recently on a visit.

### Clubbing Arrangements.

We have arranged to club the INTELLIGENCER with the following well known newspapers at the prices named, payable in advance, for one year:

Twice-a-week Atlanta Journal	\$2.00
Twice-a-week Louisville Courier-Journal	1.75
Twice-a-week St. Louis Republic	1.50
Twice-a-week New York World	2.15
Twice-a-week State	2.50
Twice-a-week News and Courier	2.25
Twice-a-week Confederate Veteran	2.10
Home and Farm	1.75
Weekly Atlanta Constitution	2.25
Washington Weekly Post	2.00

Sample copies of these papers may be seen at THE INTELLIGENCER office. Now is the time to subscribe. Remember, you get the INTELLIGENCER and any one of the papers named at the price named, payable in advance.

Twenty-five dollars will buy a fairly good square practice Piano at the C. A. Reed Music House. They are intrinsically worth double that amount.

Buy the boy an Air Rifle. There are few Christmas gifts that will afford the youngster more pleasure and satisfaction. And when you buy don't buy a toy, but buy a good one—such as sold by Sullivan Hardware Co.

The ladies all know the genuine pleas ure that a good shave affords their husbands. A good Razor, such as sold by Sullivan Hardware Co., cannot fail to be appreciated by him as a Christmas present. Satisfy your own desires and they sick by you! Give them goods of unquestioned quality and you will "win out" in business. You are familiar with the high quality of everything in the line of Ammunition sold by Sullivan Hardware Co., and know that everything offered by them in this line is the best the market affords.

WANTED—Five hundred dozen or less Fresh Eggs each week. Will pay highest spot cash price.

24—If JULIUS H. WEIL & Co.

If you are wondering "what to give her," drop in and look over our line of Scissors. Sullivan Hardware Co.

What more appropriate and what more useful than one of Sullivan Hardware Co.'s Pocket Knives, as a Christmas present.

Guns of all kinds and at all prices at Sullivan Hardware Co.'s. "Honest goods at honest prices" has always been their motto.

Loaded Shells of all kinds. Smokeless and Black Powder—any number of drachms wanted. All sizes of Shot can be found at Sullivan Hardware Co.'s.

A good fire for our friends and customers when the weather is cold, and we are always glad to have you come in and get warm whether you want to buy or not. Brock Brothers' Hardware Store.

Rodding, tin work, galvanized iron work and plumbing on short notice by Osborne & Osborne.

WANTED—For cash, Hickory, Dog wood, Persimmon, Walnut logs. Southern Hardwood Co., P. O. Box, 529, Charleston, S. C.

Ballard's Obelisk and Guthrie's Finest Patent Flour for \$1.50 per barrel at Vandiver Bros. Free city delivery. Phone 75.

The biggest, best and cheapest stock of Shoes in the city at Vandiver Bros.

When you have any kind of Plumbing I would like to figure with you on it.

Wanted—For cash, Hickory, Dog wood, Persimmon, Walnut logs. Southern Hardwood Co., P. O. Box, 529, Charleston, S. C.

If your Piano or Organ needs tuning or repairs, it will pay you to see Mr. Jas. A. Riddick of The C. A. Reed Music House, who will guarantee perfect satisfaction to all.

Iron King Stoves are sold in Anderson only by Osborne & Osborne.

Iron King Stoves are considered the best. Buy one. Osborne & Osborne Sole Agents.

Money to Loan—For Clients. Low interest and long time, if security is first-class. B. F. Martin, Attorney-at-Law.

When you want a first-class one horse Wagon, buy our make.

PAUL E. STEPHENS.

The Torrent Cutaway Harrow is the best Cutaway Harrow, and does the best work with the lightest draft of this sort made. For sale by Brock Brothers, sole agents for upper S. C.

Have hot water pipes run from your stove to bath room. Try Osborne & Osborne.

If you want the finest Texas Seed Oats cheap, get them at Vandiver Bros.

The best and cheapest stock of Fall and Winter Dry Goods in the city at Vandiver Bros.

Down in our basement you will find Band Iron, Bar Iron and bars of tool steel in all sorts of sizes and shapes. When you need anything of this sort, come to us. If you only want a piece of iron a foot long, we'll be glad to cut it off for you. Brock Brothers' Hardware Store.

Buy a pair of leggings and keep your legs from getting cold these cold winter days when you are traveling. You will find a complete line at Brock Brothers. Also Hunting Coats, loaded Shells and empty Shells and everything that a hunter needs to properly equip himself for hunting.

Guns and Pistols of all kinds and prices at Brock Brothers.

Every Man and

Boy that

Buys Clothing knows

# HALL & MILFORD.

We are known all over South Carolina and Georgia as the people that gives the biggest value in—

# CLOTHING. HATS. SHOES.

We can beat either State on \$5.00 Suits.

Our \$7.50 Suits are the pride of our Store, in any style you may wish—Round Cut, Square Cut and Double Breast Suits, in all the latest Stripes and Plaids.

## SPECIAL:

\$10.00 Suits. They are dressy in the extreme, every style new and latest designs, in Plaids Stripes and Checks. These \$10.00 Suits are equal to any \$20.00 on the market. Prices always the lowest—everybody knows that.

# HALL & MILFORD.

Clothiers and Furnishiers.

D. F.—Don't forget our line of SCHOOL SUITS—guaranteed to stand any boy in South Carolina and Georgia. Price \$2.50 to \$3.50. H. & M.

# Julia Marlowe Shoes.



## THEY ARE LEADERS.

There is only one "Julia Marlowe," the accomplished and popular actress known by that name. There is likewise only one house in Anderson that enjoys the distinction of selling "Julia Marlowe" Shoes. Numberless styles of Women's Shoes have come, gone, and will come again; but the famous "Julia Marlowe" has come to stay, is here, and will ever remain the same. Do you ask why? Simply because it is the only "Specialty Shoe" to-day that contains a special feature, "Hub Gore Elastic Instep," which properly adjusts all parts of the shoe to the lines of the wearer's foot, thus insuring comfort, though a snug fit at the same time.

The Genuine "Julia Marlowe" Shoes, in either high or low cuts, are sold exclusively by—

**COBB & CRAYTON,**  
The Shoe People.

— FOR —

## Christmas Presents

SEE the Haberdasher's line of

## Cravats, Umbrellas, Hats,

And everything a man's heart can desire in the swellest styles. We can please your husband, brothers and sons.

JOE TROWBRIDGE & CO.

## WE ARE COMING!

With Specials for December. We expect you to make your purchases at KING BROS. Bargain Store during the month of December—money saving to you.

NOW, to begin with, we have several CAPES left that are to go. We mean if you half way want one you will get it. This is a golden opportunity for you. Just let us show you. Second, just a few BLANKETS to go at prices that will make you wonder how we got them. Now, remember we have only a few, and if you fail to be among the first you will be left to sleep from under as good a Blanket for so little money. Third, if you would buy a wool pair of HALF HOSE for 10c, come at once. Don't wait about two weeks and come in and expect to get such a bargain. We have a good Stock now, but we will tell you that we can't say we will have so many in ten days. Come running at break-neck speed. Remember, we sell Goods. They don't lie in the shelves and rust. They are going all the time. We also have a heavy cotton Half Hose for 5c, an extra heavy one at 8c. Fourth and last, CROCKERY, CROCKERY—from early morn until late a night you can hear the rattling of dishes. So remember, newly married people and you that anticipate such, to buy your CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, TINWARE, etc., from us, and you will see a little man stand on his tip-toes in his boots with joy.

**KING BROS., BARGAIN STORE,**

Two Doors from Post Office.

P. S.—Five and Ten Cent Counters always full of choice and useful articles.